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## **English Teacher - Job Description**

This post is eligible for a DBS check under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975 (i.e. it involves certain activities in relation to children and/or adults) and is defined as regulated activity under Part 1 of the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006.

Post Title: Teacher of English

Accountable to: Curriculum Leader of English

Purpose:	<ul> <li>To implement and deliver an appropriately broad, balanced, relevant and differentiated curriculum for students and to support a designated curriculum area as appropriate.</li> <li>To monitor and support the overall progress and development of students as a teacher/ Form Tutor</li> <li>To facilitate and encourage a learning experience which provides students with the opportunity to achieve their individual potential.</li> <li>To contribute to raising standards of student attainment.</li> <li>To share and support the school's responsibility to provide and monitor opportunities for personal and academic growth.</li> </ul>	
Responsible for:	The provision of a full learning experience and support for students.	
Liaising with:	Head/Deputies, teaching/support staff, LA representatives, external agencies and parents.	
Working Time:	Full Time & Part Time (0.4FTE)	
Salary/Grade:	Band 1 Teacher	
Disclosure level MAIN (CORE) DUTIES	Enhanced	
Operational/ Strategic Planning	<ul> <li>To assist in the development of appropriate syllabuses, resources, schemes of work, marking policies and teaching strategies in the Curriculum Area and Department.</li> <li>To contribute to the Curriculum Area and Department's development plan and its implementation.</li> <li>To plan and prepare courses and lessons.</li> <li>To contribute to the whole school's planning activities.</li> </ul>	
Curriculum Provision:	• To assist the Head of Department, 2 <sup>nd</sup> in Department and the Deputy Head [Staff], to ensure that the curriculum area provides a range of teaching which complements the school's strategic objectives.	
Curriculum Development:	To assist in the process of curriculum development and change so as to ensure the continued relevance to the needs of students, examining and awarding bodies and the school's Mission and Strategic Objectives.	



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Staffing	To take part in the school's staff development programme by participating in	
Chaff Davidance	arrangements for further training and professional development.	
Staff Development:	• To continue personal development in the relevant areas including subject knowledge and teaching methods.	
Recruitment/		
Deployment of Staff	To ensure the effective/efficient deployment of classroom support	
	To work as a member of a designated team and to contribute positively to effective	
	working relations within the school.	
Quality Assurance:	To help to implement school quality procedures and to adhere to those.	
	To contribute to the process of monitoring and evaluation of the curriculum	
	area/department in line with agreed school procedures, including evaluation against	
	quality standards and performance criteria. To seek/implement modification and	
	improvement where required.	
	To review from time to time methods of teaching and programmes of work.	
	To take part, as may be required, in the review, development and management of	
	activities relating to the curriculum, organisation and pastoral functions of the school.	
Management	To maintain appropriate records and to provide relevant accurate and up-to-date	
Information: information for MIS, registers, etc.		
	To complete the relevant documentation to assist in the tracking of students.	
	To track student progress and use information to inform teaching and learning.	
Communications:	To communicate effectively with the parents of students as appropriate.	
	Where appropriate, to communicate and co-operate with persons or bodies outside the	
	school.	
	To follow agreed policies for communications in the school.	
Marketing and Liaison:	To take part in marketing and liaison activities such as Open Evenings, Parents Evenings,	
	Review days and liaison events with partner schools.	
	To contribute to the development of effective subject links with external agencies.	
	To promote a positive image of Manor High School through dealings with outside bodies.	
Management of	To contribute to the process of the ordering and allocation of equipment and materials.	
Resources:  • To assist the Head of Department to identify resource needs and to contribute efficient/effective use of physical resources.		
	benefit of the school, department and the students.	
Pastoral System:	To be a Form Tutor to an assigned group of students.	
	To promote the general progress and well-being of individual students and of the Form	
	Tutor Group as a whole.	
	To liaise with a Pastoral Leader to ensure the implementation of the school's Pastoral	
	System.	
	To register students, accompany them to assemblies, encourage their full attendance at	
	all lessons and their participation in other aspects of school life.	
	To evaluate and monitor the progress of students and keep up-to-date student records as	
	may be required.	
	To contribute to the preparation of Action Plans and any other reports.	
	To alert the appropriate staff to problems experienced by students and to make	
	recommendations as to how these may be resolved.	
	To communicate as appropriate, with the parents of students and with persons or bodies	
	outside the school concerned with the welfare of individual students, after consultation	
	with the appropriate staff	
	To contribute to PSHE, careers and citizenship according to school policy	
	To apply the Behaviour management systems so that effective learning can take place.	



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## Teaching:

- To teach students according to their educational needs, including the setting and marking
  of work to be carried out by the student in school and elsewhere.
- To assess, record and report on the attendance, progress, development and attainment of students and to keep such records as are required by school policy.
- To provide, or contribute to, oral and written assessments, reports and references relating to individual students and groups of students.
- To ensure that ICT, Literacy, Numeracy and school subject specialism(s) are reflected in the teaching/learning experience of students
- To undertake a designated programme of teaching.
- To ensure a high quality learning experience for students which meets internal and external quality standards.
- To prepare and update subject materials.
- To use a variety of delivery methods which will stimulate learning appropriate to student needs and demands of the syllabus.
- To maintain discipline in accordance with the school's procedures, and to encourage good practice with regard to punctuality, behaviour, standards of work and homework.
- To undertake assessment of students as requested by external examination bodies, departmental and school procedures.
- To mark, grade and give written/verbal and diagnostic feedback as required.

## Other Specific Duties:

- To play a full part in the life of the school community, to support its distinctive mission and ethos and to encourage staff and students to follow this example.
- To promote the schools' core values.
- To support the school in meeting its legal requirements for worship.
- To promote actively the school's corporate policies.
- To continue personal development as agreed.
- To comply with the school's Health and safety policy and undertake risk assessments as appropriate.
- To undertake any other duty as specified by STPCB not mentioned in the above.

Whilst every effort has been made to explain the main duties and responsibilities of the post, each individual task undertaken may not be identified.

Employees will be expected to comply with any reasonable request from a manager to undertake work of a similar level that is not specified in this job description.

Employees are expected to be courteous to colleagues and provide a welcoming environment to visitors and telephone callers.

The school will endeavour to make any necessary reasonable adjustments to the job and the working environment to enable access to employment opportunities for disabled job applicants or continued employment for any employee who develops a disabling condition.

This job description is current at the date shown, but following consultation with you, may be changed by Management to reflect or anticipate changes in the job which are commensurate with the salary and job title.

Teacher:	Date:
Head of Department	Date:
Headteacher:	Date: